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Applicant : Ralf Salameh :  
Serial No. : 10/803,768 :  
Attny No. : 71027-012 : **GROUP:**  
Filed : March 18, 2004 : **EXAMINER:**  
Title : PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF A PLASTIC  
COMPONENT WITH A SEAL, AND ASSEMBLY UNIT

**RESPONSE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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**ATTENTION: MAILSTOP MISSING PARTS**

Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated June 4, 2004, Applicant is submitting herewith the required executed Declaration under § 37 CFR 1.53(b).

Please charge deposit account no. 06-0420 in the amount of \$ 130.00 to cover the declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e). Enclosed as well is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted as requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments to deposit account No. 06-0420.

**Respectfully submitted,**

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**Date**

Enclosures



**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING**

I hereby certify that this Response and fee is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail, postage prepaid, in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, **MAILSTOP MISSING PARTS - FEE**, PO Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on July 26, 2004.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.  
*A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.*
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$130** for a Large Entity

- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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